

THE WEATHER						
Fair tonight and Thursday, slightly cooler Thursday; moderate westerly winds.						
TEMPERATURE AT EACH HOUR						
8	9	10	11	12	1	2
73	74	77	81	85	86	88

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PHILADELPHIA NAVAL RESERVISTS MAROONED ON SHIP

Eagle-52, Sub Chaser and Training Ship, Disabled Off Rhode Island

WIRELESS SUMMONS AID AS PROPELLER BREAKS

Tugs Dispatched From Naval Bases to Rescue Ship, Anchored in Sound

The Eagle-52, sub-chaser and training ship of the Fourth Naval District, carrying seventy-five Philadelphia Naval Reservists on a two weeks' cruise, is disabled off Great Salt Point, Block Island. A wireless message to the Government receiving station at New London early today announced the plight of the ship.

The steering gear of the ship became suddenly useless as she was passing out to sea through the channel to Salt Point Harbor, and she went aground. Two propeller blades had buckled and the ship was unable to move.

She is anchored at the entrance to the harbor, and is awaiting a tug to pull her into port. It is believed that one will be sent from the Third Naval District, which has New York for headquarters.

Call for Help
The first message, which came from the commander, Lieutenant Commander F. G. Boyer, an officer of the reserve, was relayed to the Philadelphia Navy Yard, just before 10 o'clock this morning.

It reads: "Eagle-52 disabled. At anchor off entrance Great Salt Point, Block Island. Send tug." The second message was as follows: "After examination, first two propeller blades buckled. Unable to proceed." A third message said a safe anchorage was established.

The Eagle-52 left the Philadelphia Navy Yard on the afternoon of August 7, and is due from the cruise this Saturday. Her reserve commander is also secretary of the Delaware River Block Association.

Block Island lies fifty miles from the coast of Rhode Island, and is a popular summer resort, Narragansett Bay, Newport, R. I., in the summer headquarters for all varieties of craft of the United States Navy, engaged in maneuvers, and the open sea between that and Block Island is the locale of most of the operations.

Disaster to Sister Ship
An ill-fated sister ship of the Eagle-52 last summer turned over in the Delaware River.

The complete list of men on the Eagle boat follows:
Lieutenant Commander F. C. Beyer, Lieutenants W. R. Cole, G. W. Keefe, W. R. O'Sullivan.

Lieutenants (Junior Grade) J. G. Williamson and W. J. Latta, Jr., Lieutenants A. E. Wayne (S. C.) and Lieutenant M. Rosen (N. C.).
Ensign C. V. Rippen.

Chief Boatswain F. T. Cloutman, Enlisted men: D. A. Adams, C. C. Anderson, W. C. Artley, J. G. Bassler, G. W. Beck, G. R. Benson, J. M. Bohenrich, D. S. Bower, W. S. Burton, J. H. Campbell, J. A. Dixon, F. J. Dunn, G. G. Fox, M. Fox, A. B. Gibson, P. S. Gilbert, J. F. Harris, D. E. Hanzard, H. W. Hillman, W. A. Hillman, C. G. Johnson, E. J. Kowalski, G. W. Leary, M. E. Mass, V. J. Madden, G. H. Mitchell, H. P. Poreh, J. Robertucci, M. L. Saunders, L. A. Sawyer, P. M. Schwalter, E. H. Stenzel, G. S. Sutcliffe, J. H. Taylor, W. Umbach, A. J. Willis, H. Wilshire and W. S. Yeager.

OSER PREPARES TO WED MATILDE, LUCERNE REPORT

Goes to Native Town, Where He Must Get First Papers

Lucerne, Switzerland, Aug. 16.—(By A. P.)—Max Oser is said to have gone to Basel, his native town, where he is taking the first legal steps in obtaining the necessary papers for his marriage to Miss Matilde McCormick, the youthful granddaughter of John D. Rockefeller.

The engaged couple, during their brief sojourn here, have been most successful in remaining bachelors. It is generally believed that their wedding will take place soon.

There have been rumors that Oser already has met Harold F. McCormick, his fiancée's father, who was married last week in Paris to Madame Ganna Warlock. Reports persist that Mr. and Mrs. McCormick intend to reside in the Hertenstein Castle, but the owner of the estate refuses to confirm or deny these reports.

FULLY SET-UP LOCOMOTIVE SHIPPED TO ARGENTINA

Engine Will Be in Readiness to Take New President on Tour

What is considered an achievement in locomotive construction has just been completed by the Baldwin Locomotive Works in the presidential engine for the Argentine. The engine, which is to be used by the President on his tour of that country tomorrow, completely equipped, is ready for shipment to the country following its inauguration, October 1.

As the boat will not reach Buenos Aires until about September 20, it was necessary to adopt this novel expedient in order that the locomotive might be in service on inauguration day.

Usually engines for export are knocked down and boxed. The presidential engine, however, is to be bolted to the deck and a house erected over it to protect it from the salt air.

Bishop Falls Critically Ill
Chicago, Aug. 16.—(By A. P.)—The Right Rev. Samuel Fallows, for many years presiding bishop of the Reformed Episcopal Church, is critically ill at his home here. It was announced yesterday that Bishop Fallows, who is eighty-six years old, returned Monday from California.

"Queen" of Wildwood



MISS RUTH JOHNSON
High school girl, who received 625 votes for shore honor, will be crowned at Ocean Pier tonight.

MAJOR REED SWORN IN AS U. S. SENATOR

Taking of Official Oath Witnessed by Distinguished Company

Will "Stay on the Job"
By a Staff Correspondent
Washington, Aug. 16.—Major David A. Reed, of Pittsburgh, was sworn in as a member of the United States Senate from Pennsylvania today in the presence of his colleagues and a company of distinguished guests. The ceremony took place at 10:20 A. M. after the full membership of the Senate now in the capital had been assembled.

Major Reed, with the exception of Senator "Pat" Harrison, of Mississippi, is the youngest member of the Senate. He is forty-two. Senator Harrison is forty-one. He is the second World War veteran to be seated in the Senate. He said he proposed to "stay on the job" in Washington and to assume his senatorial duties immediately.

A strong reaction on the Senate floor and in the Senate galleries followed the news of his appointment. Secretary Mellon, members of the Pennsylvania congressional delegation and a party of friends and relatives from Pittsburgh witnessed the ceremony in the Senate. Secretary Mellon sat in the gallery.

Senator's Parents See Ceremony
Major Reed arrived this morning, accompanied by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Reed; his son, David A. Reed, Jr.; his brother-in-law, W. G. Frazier; and Dr. William O'Neil Sherman, chief surgeon for the Carnegie Steel Company.

Major Reed was joined at the Shoreland Hotel by Senator Pepper shortly after his arrival, and together they went to the Willard, where Governor Sprout awaited them. The three officials then drove to Senator Pepper's office at the Capitol. There Governor Sprout handed Major Reed his commission as a member of the Senate, made out by the Secretary several days ago, and brought here by James McCoy, the governor's secretary. This formality over, they walked to the Capitol and Major Reed was sworn in.

An impressive ceremony on the Senate floor and in the Senate galleries followed the news of his appointment. Scores of Senators, officials and friends extended congratulations.

Following the ceremony and greetings in the Senate Major Reed, Senator Pepper and Governor Sprout posed for photographers on the capitol steps. The two Senators then went to executive offices in the Senate building.

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BOUND AND GAGGED STORY TOLD TWICE BEFORE BY WOMAN

Detective Parker Says Mrs. Giberson was 'Victim' of 'Robbers' on Other Occasions

FORMER HOME OF COUPLE IS VISITED FOR NEW CLUE

Another Arrest Promised Within 48 Hours by Authorities Working on Murder Case

Mrs. Ivy Giberson, under arrest at Tom's River, N. J., for the murder of her husband Monday night in his home at Lakehurst, was found by him "bound and gagged" on two former occasions when their house was "robbed," according to Ellis Parker, Burlington County detective and solver of many murder mysteries.

Mrs. Giberson, the night of the crime, walked down the stairs of her home bound hand and foot, and with a gag partly in place. She told men who answered her screams after she had looked the gag loose, that robbers had tied and gagged her, then shot her husband to death as he was about to awaken.

Detective Parker returned to Tom's River this afternoon after a morning spent in a trip through Jersey and said he had visited Trenton and other places in search of facts bearing on the case.

Tells of Earlier "Robberies"
The detective, who has been loaned to Ocean County by Burlington County to help solve the mystery, said that the first of the two robberies of which he learned occurred ten years ago in Trenton.

Giberson came home one night, "I have learned also that within the last seven years, when the Gibersons lived on Pine street, in Lakehurst, their husband returned home one night to find \$200 stolen from his house and his wife again bound and gagged."

May Be No Connection
The detective did not assert there was a connection between these previous robberies and the robbery Monday night, when Giberson's wallet with \$700 was taken, but said he believed the facts were of sufficient importance to be reported immediately to the Ocean County authorities.

Lakehurst this afternoon discussed a rumor of a battle royal between Cox's crew and the black mare from Alabama. The finish was so close at the wire that many of the spectators thought the fight was a head heat.

The first heat of the Kelly 2:14 stakes trot was won by Finvarra, driven by Harry Fleming. The time was 2:30.

Two Men Injured AS WALLS COLLAPSE
John Mann and Harry Goldstein Hurt as Stable Caves In

Two men were injured when the front wall of the three-story building belonging to John Mann at 1164 Park street, collapsed. The building, formerly a stable, was being renovated and altered for use as a garage.

The accident occurred shortly after 3 o'clock, while workmen were busy in the building. The greater part of the wall, which fell outward, landed in a courtyard. The injured men were taken to St. Joseph's Hospital.

ROUTLEDGE IN FRONT

Wins Circingle Handicap at Saratoga, 5 to 2

Saratoga Race Track, N. Y., Aug. 16.—Routeledge, with Morris up, was the winner in the first race here today, the Circingle Handicap, the closing price being 5 to 2. Wellfluter and Muskadee were the other horses in the money.

Get \$2 From Candy Store
While Mrs. Catherine Clegg, proprietress of a store at 3301 Waterlo street, was preparing soft drinks for them last night, two young men opened the cash drawer, and stole \$2 bills.

Out of Baseball

DOUGLAS 'FIRED' BY N. Y. GIANTS

Charged Shufflin' Phil Offered to Desert Club—Permanently Ineligible

HEYDLER PRAISES MOVE

Pittsburgh, Aug. 16.—"Shufflin' Phil" Douglas, premier pitcher of the New York Giants, was placed on its permanent ineligible list in a statement issued by the club here today.

Douglas is accused of writing a letter to a competing team offering to desert the Giants.

Douglas has been put on the permanent ineligible list by the New York National League Baseball Club for writing a letter to a member of the competing team offering to desert his club if it would make it worth his while," said the statement.

"Douglas does not deny he wrote the letter. We went through with this at the suggestion of Mr. Heydler, president of the National League."

"The New York club is to be heartily commended for its prompt action," said President Heydler in commenting on the incident which stirred the Giants and the baseball community when it became known just before the game with the Pittsburgh team this afternoon.

"It has surprised me, however, that the pitcher who offered to desert the club," continued Mr. Heydler, "regardless of what effect it may have on its pennant chances. There is absolutely no excuse to make for Douglas. He is the victim of his own folly."

A copy of the letter Douglas is alleged to have written was not given out in connection with the announcement, and Douglas was not at the hotel where the Giants are registered. It was stated that he had been notified of the club officers' action just before noon.

HOP OFF FOR BRAZIL

Air Cruiser Reaches Rockaway on First Leg of Flight

Rockaway, N. Y., Aug. 16.—(By A. P.)—The flying boat Stompio Corroia on the first leg of its 8500-mile voyage to Brazil, arrived at the naval station here at 2:10 o'clock this afternoon.

The ship came directly from Douglas, where it began its official flight.

New York, Aug. 16.—(By A. P.)—The giant air cruiser Sampson Corroia, piloted by Lieutenant Walter Hinton, hopped off from the Hudson River this afternoon for Rockaway on the official start of the flight of 8500 miles to the Amazon. At Rockaway the plane will take on fuel and then start later today for Manteo, on Roanoke Island, N. C.

SHOOTS AT INTRUDER

John W. Osborne, 2429 S. Darlen St., Thinks He Hit One Prowler

John W. Osborne, 2429 South Darlen street, fired five shots early today at two men who were trying to scale the rear fence of an adjoining house.

Osborne later told police he believed one of the men was hit. He said he fired five shots at the fence of 2427 South Darlen street, about 4 o'clock this morning as he was in his bathroom.

The neighborhood was aroused by the firing. The supposed robbers escaped. Police notified all hospitals to watch for a wounded man.

THEATRE OWNER DIES

James W. Brady, Motion-Picture Man, Succumbs to Indigestion

James W. Brady, a motion-picture theatre owner of 1722 Hunting Park avenue, died last night at his office in the Sentry Motion Picture House, at Sixth street and Erie avenue. Death was caused by acute indigestion.

Mr. Brady was a member of the Chamber of Commerce and of the Motion Picture Owners' of America. He is survived by a widow, Mrs. Corn Hall Brady, a sister, Mrs. Frank E. Johnson Mitchell, Mrs. Frank E. Rutherford, both workers for the Society, and John Cosens, secretary of the auxiliary.

MAYOR "COUGHS UP"

Gives to S. P. C. C. Fund on its Annual Tag Day

Mayor Moore, Director Corrieou and Receiver of Taxes Kendrick, among the City Hall notables tagged today by the auxiliary of the Pennsylvania Society to Protect Children From Cruelty.

Miss Nellie Moore, of 5181 North Twelfth street, was the one of the delegation who placed the badge on the Mayor. She was accompanied by Mrs. E. Johnson Mitchell, Mrs. Frank E. Rutherford, both workers for the society, and John Cosens, secretary of the auxiliary.

The best written name on the WHIPPING postcard, which was prepared for the occasion, was "Whipping Postcard," which was sent to the cash drawer, and stole \$2 bills.

PITTSBURGH COAL PRODUCERS REFUSE TO MEET MINERS

Will Not Negotiate With Unions on So-Called Basic Settlement at Cleveland

STILL READY TO CONSIDER SCALE WITHOUT CHECK-OFF

Work Is Resumed in Many Scattered Fields—Leaders Plan to Extend Peace Terms

By Associated Press
Pittsburgh, Aug. 17.—The Pittsburgh Coal Producers' Association today refused to meet with the officers of District No. 5, United Mine Workers, to negotiate a wage agreement "in conformity with the so-called basic agreement negotiated by rump convention at Cleveland Tuesday."

The refusal was in reply to an invitation from District President H. T. Fagan.

Announcement of the producers' association came after a lengthy meeting of the scale committee which considered the invitation from Mr. Fagan. It was in the form of a letter, addressed to Mr. Fagan, which said:

"Your telegram of August 16, requesting the operators of the Pittsburgh Coal Producers' Association to meet with your representatives to negotiate a wage agreement in conformity with the so-called basic agreement negotiated by rump convention in Cleveland Tuesday last, received."

"In reply we desire to inform you that we will not meet with your representatives to negotiate a wage scale without the check-off."

"The operators of the association, as they have heretofore several times notified you, are still ready and willing to negotiate a wage scale without the check-off."

It was also announced that the four mines opened by members of the organization in Washington County were being operated "according to program." Pennsylvania coalminers are on duty in the vicinity of these mines. An association representing about 70 per cent of the 45,000,000 tons annual production in this district.

Cleveland, Aug. 16.—(By A. P.)—For the first time in twenty weeks striking soft-coal miners at scattered points in seven States today began coal production. This result of the part settlement in Washington County was affected only a small minority of the 450,000 soft-coal diggers who threw down their picks last March 31, but union officials were on their way back home to work in the mines with other employees. Ohio troops sent to the mines during the strike have been ordered returned to their armories.

John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers, said for the first time before entering the peace negotiations.

CAMDEN TAXI LOSES HOT RACE WITH STORK

Miss Mahoney Arrives Just as Auto Reaches Cooper Hospital

A baby was born in an auto last night just before the Cooper Hospital, in Camden, was reached by the father and mother, traveling as fast as gas and rubber would take them. It was the second "taxi" birth in two weeks.

The second youngster, who hurried advent into the world beat the best a speeding motor could do in the ten and a half pound daughter of D. J. Mahoney and his wife Kathleen, of 3013 Porter road, Fairview. Mr. Mahoney is a Government appraiser, stationed at Philadelphia.

At 1 o'clock this morning Mr. Mahoney telephoned the cab stand at the Mount street ferry and advised that a taxi cab be sent as quickly as possible to his home for the trip to Cooper Hospital. A cab was dispatched, but the driver could not find the house and returned.

At 1:30 o'clock there was another frantic message and another cab sped away. This time the chauffeur found the home which waited the stork's advent, and Mrs. Mahoney and her husband set out for the hospital three and one-half miles away, at the best pace for a taxi cab.

Just as the machine skidded on two wheels into the driveway leading up to the hospital entrance a lusty cry gave notice to the world that Miss Mahoney was among these present.

Mrs. Katie Hirsch, whose baby was born in a bus from Williamstown, is in the same hospital almost ready to take her youngster home.

COVELESKI TWIRLS IN THIRD GAME HERE

Slim Harris Is Mack's Box Choice Against Indians

CLEVELAND ATHLETICS.—Young, 2b. Coveleski, 1b. Spinker, cf. Miller, of. Wood, 3b. O'Neil, c. Cleveland, p. Stanley Coveleski, Cleveland's pitching ace, was Tris Speaker's selection for the third game of the series at Shibe Park today.

Connie Mack, after watching several of his hurlers warm up, gave Bryan Slim Harris the assignment.

Perkins and Steven O'Neil were the backstops.

Details of the Game
FIRST.—Jammison grounded to Young. Galloway threw out Wambly. Speaker went out the same way. No runs.

Young was out. Wambly to Gulletto. Hauser singled to right and took second on Wood's fumble. Wood ran to the fence and got Welch's liner. Miller fanned to Speaker. No runs.

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LAST-MINUTE NEWS

BASEBALL SCORES

CLEVELAND..... 0 1 0
ATHLETICS..... 0 0 0
Coveleski and O'Neill; Harris and Perkins. Owens and Moriarty.
PHILLIES.....
CINCINNATI.....
Smith and Henline; Rixey and Hargrave. Klem and Sentelle.
DETROIT..... 0
NEW YORK (A.L.).. 1

CHICAGO..... 1 0 0 0
BOSTON (A.L.).... 0 0 0 0
Mack and Schalk; Karr and Chaplin.
ST. LOUIS..... 0 2 0 0
WASH'GTN A.L. 1st. 1 1 0 0
Shocker and Severid; Brillheart and Pictinich.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

ST. LOUIS.....
WASH'GTN A.L. 2d.
BOSTON.....
CHICAGO (N.L.)....
NEW YORK.....
PITTSBURGH (N.L.) 0
Snayder and Scott; Hamilton and Good.
BROOKLYN.....
ST. LOUIS (N.L.)....

READING

Dyer and Niebergall; Martin and Traggesser.

LATEST RACING RESULTS

SARATOGA—Rockminster, 3-2, 1-2, 1-5, won; Bit o Black, 8-1, 5-2, even, second; Violinist, 7-1, 5-2, even, third. Time, 1:38 3-5. Cap Rock, Irish Brigadier, Yankee Star and Maryland Belle also ran.

MAJOR LENT MANAGER FOR VETERANS' BUREAU

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Appointment of Major W. F. Lent, of New York, as district manager of the Second Veterans' Bureau District, with headquarters at New York City, was announced today by Director Forbes of the Bureau. This district includes the States of New York, Connecticut and New Jersey and supervises the vocational training of more than 13,000 disabled former service men.

CONGRESSMAN KNIGHT, OF OHIO, TO RESIGN

WASHINGTON, Aug. 16.—Representative Knight, of Ohio, in a statement issued today, announced that his resignation as a member would be offered as soon as he could do so with justice to the interests of his district. Mr. Knight was a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor recently in the Ohio primaries.

CANADIAN TROOPS SENT TO MINES

BROOKVILLE, ONT., Aug. 16.—George P. Graham, Minister of Militia and Defense, today ordered a detachment of several hundred troops sent into the Glace Bay, N. S., coal-mining district, to quell disturbances resulting from the strike of United Mine Workers of America.

YERKES CAVES IN SARAZEN TRAILS AS GIRL LAUDS HIM

AS GIRL LAUDS HIM

"Ah, Madam, Those Words Are a Rarity Here; You're Discharged!"

BUT OTHERS HAD TO DIG LEADS AT 27TH HOLE

Oakmont Country Club, Pittsburgh, Aug. 16.—Gus Sarazen, national open champion, and Jock Hutchison, former British rithelder, are staging a bitter battle in the national professional tourney here.

At the end of the eighteen holes, Hutchison was one up on Sarazen. This afternoon the champion squared the match on the fourth hole, but Jock recalled it and was leading one up at the end of the twenty-seventh hole.

Gene made a desperate attempt to even the match on the eighteenth hole. His second shot stopped within six feet of the cup, but he missed and he was forced to halve the hole. Hutchison went out in 38 and came home in 35. His 73 was one under par. Gene's card showed 40 out and 34 in.

Emmett French, Youngstown, play-champion, shattered the tourney record for the course with a 69 for the first eighteen holes, five strokes under par. Robert Cruikshank, Stokausman, was four up on Charlie Ross, Oakmont, when John Golden, Tuam, staging a remarkable come back, was being four

Former British Open Golf Champion 1 Up on National Titeholder

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HOPE FOR RAIL PEACE REVIVED IN WASHINGTON

Belief Expressed Strike Will Be Settled at